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Dear Brett:

Account number:

Review status: Vehicle/Vessel Contract Application

IVIPS account information access denied:

Upon careful review of the information provided on your application, we determined that yours is not one of the permissible uses under which release of this information is allowed, pursuant to the federal law called the Driver's Privacy Protection Act (DPPA), 18 USC Sections 2721 and 2725; and state laws RCW 46.12.630, RCW 46.12.635 and WAC 308-10-050(3). On your application, you stated as your reason for access:

- In the security profession, it's an essential part of the job to be able to get pertinent information quickly. The information contained within vehicle/vessel registrations greatly enables security officers, private investigators, and process servers to quickly and efficiently perform their duties.
- As a security officer working in an apartment complex, I often times will find vehicles abandoned on the property. The ability to quickly determine the vehicles ownership will greatly help me when deciding if I need to call a towing company to remove the vehicle. The records provided by the Department of Licensing can greatly assist in this instance. Also when it comes to enforcing assigned parking, these records are invaluable. When working as a process server of private investigator, you need to be able to verify the ownership of real property. This verification process is part of any investigation which requires accurate records to locate someone.

This use is not permissible according to the DPPA, 18 USC, section 2721, 3(A)(B) which allows access to personal vehicle owner information only to: 3) "For use in the normal course of business by a legitimate business or its agents, employees, or contractors, but only-(A) To verify the accuracy of personal information submitted by the individual to the business or its agents, employees, or contractors; and (B) If such information as so

submitted is not correct or is no longer correct, to obtain the correct information, **but only** for the purposes of preventing fraud by, pursuing legal remedies against, or recovering on a debt or security interest against, the individual.”

Brett Hamilton

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You may submit public disclosure requests for consideration on an individual basis using the Vehicle Record Request form (RPD-224-003). These forms are available on the internet @ dol.wa.gov or call us and we will fax or mail the form to you.

If you need to contact us

For additional information or assistance, please contact the Vehicle Disclosure Unit at (360) 359-4001 or email vsdisclose@dol.wa.gov.

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Sincerely,
Public Disclosure/Contract Unit
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